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SUBJ: NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE -- TEXT AFGHANISTAN AMBASSADOR'S REMARKS ON PUSHTUNISTAN

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- 1. BELOW IS EXCERPT OF OFFICIAL TEXT OF AFGHAN AMBASSADOR PAZHWAK'S ADDRESS TO NAC CONCERNING PUSHTUNISTAN AND PAKISTAN. THIS TEXT CONFIRMED AS OFFICIAL BY MFA AND DIFFERS IN SOME RESPECTS FROM TEXT REPORTED REF B.
- 2." WE REGRET, HOWEVER, THAT THERE IS ONLY ONE COUNTRY, NAMELY PAKISTAN, WITH WHICH WE HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO SOLVE OUR POLITICAL DIFFERENCE. THE QUESTION OF PUSHTUNISTAN, WHICH HAS EMANATED FROM A REFUSAL BY PAKISTAN TO RECOGNIZE THE LEGITIMATE RIGHTS LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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AND DEMANDS OF OVER SEVEN MILLION PEOPLE SEPARATED BY A COLONIAL

POWER FROM THEIR FATHERLAND, AFGHANISTAN, STILL REMAINS UNSOLVED. WE SHALL SPARE NO EFFORT IN SEEKING AND REALIZING A SOLUTION TO THIS QUESTION ON THE BASIS OF THE WILL OF THE PEOPLE AND INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE.

- "...THE DISTURBANCE OF PEACE IN ONE PARTICULAR PART OF THE WORLD CANNOT REMAIN ISOLATED AND AFFECTS INTERNATIONAL PEACE AND SECURITY THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. ON THIS BASIS, AFGHANISTAN DEEMS IT NECESSARY TO BRING TO ATTENTION OF THIS CONFERENCE THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH EVZNTS TAKING PLACE IN THE VICINITY OF OUR COUNTRY AS A RESULT OF THE DISTURBANCE OF THE BALANCE OF POWER THROUGH ARMAMENTS AND POLITICAL ARRANGEMENTS.
- " ONE OF THE POLITICAL MEASURES IS THE ATTITUDE RECENTLY ADOPTED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN AGAINST THE LEADERS OF THE NATIONAL AWAMI PARTY.
- " THE DISTINGUISHED HEADS OF STATE PRESENT IN THIS HISTORICAL MEETING ARE AWARE THAT TE GOVERNAMENT OF PAKISTAN HAS RECENTLY ARRESTED A NUMBER OF THE BALUCH AND PUSHTOON NATIONAL LEADERS AND EXERTS POLITICAL PRESSURE AGAINST OTHERS. THIS PROVOCATIVE GESTURE ON THEPART OF THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN AGAINST THE PUSHTOON AND BALUCH LEADERS IS A FUTHER MEASURE TAKEN TOWARDS SUFFOCATING THE ASPIRATIONS AND WISHES OF THE PEOPLE OF PUSHTOONISTAN

"THE PEOPLE OF AFGHANISTAN WHO HAVE DEEP HISTORICAL, CULTURAL AND ETHICAL TIES WITHTHEIR BROTHER PUSHTOONS AND BALUCHS AND THEREFORE CAN NOT REMAIN INDIFFERENT TO THIS ACTION TAKEN BY THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN AND EXPRESS DEEP CONCERN.

"WE FURTHER HOPE THAT THESE POLITICAL MEASURES OF PAKISTAN DOES NT EX PAND

AND CAUSE FUTHER DETERIORATION OF THE SITUATION IN THE REGION".

- 3. PAKISTANI COUNSELOR BAHAR TOLD CHRE' SEPTEMBER 13 THAT PAKS PARTICULARLY DISTURBED BY PAZHWAK'S REFERENCE TO SEVEN MILLION PEOPLE SEPARATED FROM THEIR FATHERLAND.
- 4. IT SHOULD BE NOTED BY ADDRESSEES THAT AMBASSADOR PAZHWAK HAS PENCHANT FOR SPEAKING AND ACTING AS HE COOOSES RATHER THAN FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS; HOWEVER, IN THIS CASE MFA HAS CONFIRMED LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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ABOVE TEXT AS ACCURATE AND WE BELIEVE SPEECH WAS PRIMARILY DRAFTED IN KABUL AT TIME WHEN PRESIDENT DAUD AND NAIM WERE MORE EXERCISED BY PUSHTUNISTAN ISSUE THAN THEY NOW APPEAR TO BE. LEWIS

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